

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34

BY ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY, AND TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

STATING LEGISLATIVE FINDINGS AND ADOPTING THE IDAHO ENERGY PLAN APPROVED BY  
THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL INTERIM COMMITTEE ON ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT AND  
TECHNOLOGY ON JANUARY 10, 2012, AS THE STATE ENERGY PLAN.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

WHEREAS, in 2011, the members of the First Regular Session of the  
Sixty-first Idaho Legislature adopted House Concurrent Resolution No. 4  
which authorized the Legislative Council to appoint a committee to undertake  
and complete a study of the 2007 Integrated State Energy Plan that provides  
for the state's power generation needs and protects the health and safety of  
the citizens of Idaho and the products produced in this state, and to make  
any recommendations for necessary changes in both state law and the plan  
regarding energy in the state and to monitor other energy, environment and  
technology related issues; and

WHEREAS, the Legislative Council Interim Committee on Energy, Environ-  
ment and Technology met on ten separate days and received testimony and input  
from stakeholders and citizens during the legislative interim in 2011; and

WHEREAS, the Legislative Council Interim Committee on Energy, Environ-  
ment and Technology adopted the Idaho Energy Plan on January 10, 2012; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Legislature to ratify this plan, while  
at the same time making it a living, breathing plan with the intent that it be  
revisited at a minimum of once every five years.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the Second Regular Ses-  
sion of the Sixty-first Idaho Legislature, the House of Representatives and  
the Senate concurring therein, that we formally adopt the Idaho Energy Plan  
as adopted by the Legislative Council Interim Committee on Energy, Environ-  
ment and Technology on January 10, 2012, as the State Energy Plan and that the  
Legislature update this plan at a minimum of once every five years.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislative Council Interim Committee  
on Energy, Environment and Technology shall cause to have printed 200 copies  
of the plan from funds from the Legislative Account. The Office of Energy  
Resources is requested to make an electronic copy of the plan available on  
its website.